CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1. (Currently amended) Display unit for a motor vehicle, which is arranged in a lowerable manner in the a vehicle dashboard so as to be swivellable during a swiveling movement between a lowered inoperative position and an operational position, a rear side of the display unit, which is visible in a the lowered inoperative condition position, fitting into a contour of the dashboard, the display unit being swivellable by 180° along one of its axes for moving to an the operational position.

wherein the swivelling movement is accompanied by a lifting and subsequent lowering movement of a display of the display unit.

2. (Canceled)

- 3. (Currently amended) Display unit according to Claim 1, wherein in the operative operational position of the display unit, the display is essentially perpendicular to the driver's viewing direction.
- 4. (Original) Display unit according to Claim 1, wherein the display unit has an essentially oval shape in a top view of its display side.
- 5. (Original) Display unit according to Claim 1, wherein the contour of a section of the display unit, with respect to the longitudinal axis, rises from the

side facing away from the driver to the center of the longitudinal axis and then comprises a video screen.

- 6. (Canceled)
- 7. (Original) Display unit according to Claim 3, wherein the contour of a section of the display unit, with respect to the longitudinal axis, rises from the side facing away from the driver to the center of the longitudinal axis and then comprises a video screen.
- 8. (Original) Display unit according to Claim 4, wherein the contour of a section of the display unit, with respect to the longitudinal axis, rises from the side facing away from the driver to the center of the longitudinal axis and then comprises a video screen.
- 9. (Currently amended) A vehicle dashboard assembly comprising; comprising:
 - a dashboard panel having a recess, and
- a display unit mounted in the recess to be movable by 180° about a pivot

 axis between an operational display position protruding out of said panel toward

 a facing passenger space and a non-operational position which is arranged in a

 lowerable manner in the recess so as to be swivellable during a swiveling

movement between a lowered inoperative position and an operational position, a rear side of the display unit, which is visible in the lowered inoperative position, fitting into a contour of the dashboard, the display unit being swivellable by 180° along one of its axes for moving to the operational position,

wherein the swivelling movement is accompanied by a lifting and subsequent lowering movement of a display of the display unit.

- 10. (Original) An assembly according to Claim 9, wherein said display unit includes a front side which exhibits an oval shaped housing section supporting a display surface.
- 11. (Currently amended) An assembly according to Claim 10, wherein said front side faces the passenger space when said display unit is in the operational display position.
- 12. (Currently amended) An assembly according to Claim 9, wherein said display unit includes a rear side which is configured to form a conformed continuation of adjacent dashboard panel surfaces when the display unit is in said non-operational inoperative position.
- 13. (Currently amended) An assembly according to Claim 11, wherein said display unit includes a rear side which is configured to form a conformed

continuation of adjacent dashboard panel surfaces when the display unit is in said non-operational inoperative position.

- 14. (New) Display unit according to Claim 1, wherein the display unit is mounted so as to be swivellable at ends of its longitudinal sides.
- 15. (New) Display unit according to Claim 1, wherein the rear side of the display unit, which is visible in the lowered inoperative position, has a convex portion which fits smoothly into the contour of the dashboard.
- 16. (New) An assembly according to Claim 9, wherein the display unit is mounted so as to be swivellable at ends of its longitudinal sides.
- 17. (New) An assembly according to Claim 9, wherein the rear side of the display unit, which is visible in the lowered inoperative position, has a convex portion which fits smoothly into the contour of the dashboard.